The EXECUTIVE INTELLIGENCE REVIEW is published by the U.S. Labor Party and its leader, Lyndon LaRouche. LaRouche is a former member of the Troyskyite Communist Socialist Workers Party and a leader of the Students for a Democratic Society in the late 1960's. He ran as U.S. Labor Party candidate for President in 1976 and campaigned for the Democratic nomination in 1980. The U.S. Labor Party was formed in 1972 as an offshoot of several Marxist organizations. In recent years, it has appeared to adopt some extreme rightwing views. Common themes in party propaganda include assorted conspiracy theories as well as positions in favor of nuclear power and against the U.K.

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Robert Greenberg called Public Affairs in March 1981 to invite Agency analysts to attend a symposium on terrorism in Central America and Mexican-U.S. relations at which LaRouche would be a featured speaker. The invitation was acknowledged, but no one attended.